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REMARKS

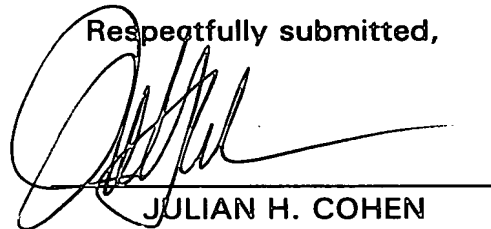
Careful consideration has been given to the Official Action of August 9, 2002 and particularly to the election requirement set forth therein.

Pursuant thereto, applicant elects the invention of Group I inclusive of claims 6-13 and 15-22. It is requested that claim 14 drawn to the invention of Group II be held in abeyance pending the determination of the prosecution of this application.

Claim 23 has been added to the application and is a linking claim between Groups I and II. Accordingly, upon allowance of the linking claim, consideration of the claim to the non-elected invention will be warranted.

It is requested that examination proceed on the basis of the amendatory action which has been taken above and the election made herein.

Respectfully submitted,



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